

PROCLAMATION

WHEREAS, the education of every child in South Dakota is the most important function of government and is essential to the perpetuation of self-government; and

WHEREAS, good schools in South Dakota is the concern of every citizen in the State; and

WHEREAS, it is most important that every citizen should have accurate information about the schools, their problems and needs which merit support; and

WHEREAS, the children of South Dakota and the nation are our most important asset; and

WHEREAS, the thirty-fourth annual observance of American Education Week which is sponsored by the State Department of Public Instruction, the South Dakota Education Association, the Congress of Parents and Teachers and the South Dakota American Legion, has for its purpose the strengthening of public interest in and the understanding of our schools;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sigurd Anderson, Governor of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of November 7-13, 1954, as

AMERICAN EDUCATION WEEK

in South Dakota and do urge that all citizens visit their schools during the week, to learn more about the school programs and needs and to assist in planning for the good education of all of our people.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 30th day of October, 1954.

..... Sigurd Anderson
Governor

ATTEST:

..... Geraldine Ostrom
Secretary of State

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